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Community Crisis Center Facts

The Community Crisis Center serves, on average, 324 clients per month.

In the year 2008, Law Enforcement transported 702 clients to the Crisis Center.

Clients that used to report to the hospitals in crisis are now presenting at the Community Crisis Center on their own. Even with clients learning to use the Crisis Center, the hospitals referred 732 clients to the CCC in 2008.

The Crisis Center has trained 99 law enforcement officers from the Eastern Region in CIT Training. CIT is a nationally recognized training that teaches officers and first responders to more efficiently and more effectively respond to persons with mental illness and/or substance abuse.

Of the clients presenting to the Community Crisis Center, 76% have co-occurring disorders (diagnosed with serious mental illness and chemical dependency/substance abuse).